held in January next.

By Ald. Green—That at the next meeting of this Council I will move that application be made at the next meeting of the Ontario Legislsture for an act empowering this city to borrow $100,000 for the purpose of extending their water mains.

By Ald. Green—That, at the next meeting of this Council, I will move that four assessors be appointed, two for all that portion of the city north of Dundas street and two for that portion of the city south of Dundas street, at a salary of $300 each.

MOTIONS.

Ald. Green's motion, that four assessors be appointed, two for the north and two for the south side of Dundas Street, at a salary of $300 each.

BY-LAWS OMITTED IN LAST PRINTED MINUTES.

To amend by-law 207, was read and passed.

By-law to amend by-law 169, hosp rules and regulations, was passed.

By-law respecting hawkers and thers w read a first time. Second reading defer until next meeting of the council.

Ald. Green moved that a compulso system of payment of water rates should b introduced into this city, and that legisla tion authorizing said system should be ap plied for at the next session of the Loc Legislature.

Ald. Cowan seconded the motion for th purpose of bringing it before the Council.

Ald. Green was going on to point out th advantages of a compulsory system of co lecting water rates, when it was discover that several members had stepped out, an left the Council without a quorum.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, November 30th, 1885.

The Board of Aldermen met last night in City Hall. Present: Mayor Becher the chair), Alds. Taylor, Watson, Green, Meara, Cowan, Browne, Stringer, Scarrow, ok, Hodgins, Christie, Lilley, Toll, Dr. rdiner and A. S. Abbott, clerk. Minutes d and adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

B. C. McCann—Stating that he was lling to have the claim of Mr. Hueston inst the corporation referred to arbitra n. No. 2.

John Ferguson & Sons, J. A. White and seph Jeffrey—Asking for the construction a flagstone walk on the north side of King eet, a distance of 165 feet east of Rich nd. No. 2, with power.

Jas. Arthurs—Asking for an allowance, ause, by the lowering of the roadbed of ne avenue, he had been at considerable ense building a roadway into his prem . No. 2.

lfred Hale and three others of the I. O. —Asking permission to erect and main at their own expense a street lamp on hmond at the approach to their hall, eral Bank building. Granted on motion ld. O'Meara and Ald. Christie.

dward J. Cavanah—Claiming that a take had been made in charging against property on Trafalgar street the taxes 1881, which he had paid, and asking cor ion of the alleged error. No. 1.

r. J. Morton—Asking for the use of No. ard Hall in which to hold a concert on sday, Dec. 15, and for information re ting terms. Referred to the aldermen o. 5 ward, with power.

. Y. Brunton & Sons—Asking that the or member of the firm be permitted to uct auction sales, the senior member, hose name the license was taken out, being able to do so. Ald. Watson ed and Ald. Taylor seconded, that the tion be granted on payment of $10.

ary Ann Stanfield—For time to pay taxes. Ald. Watson moved and Ald. or seconded, that she be allowed four ths in which to pay the taxes. Moved endment by Ald. Scarrow, seconded ld. Lilley, that the matter be referred o. 1 Committee. Carried.

COLONIAL AND INDIAN EXHIBITION.

d. Scarrow presented a circular asking iews of civic buildings, markets, lead otels, scenes showing progress of city, and neighboring picturesque scenes. Referred to No. 2 Committee.

NO THREE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

By Ald. Stringer: 1. That the $200 granted by the Council at its last meeting for the erection of coal oil lamps in No. 5 ward is not to the credit of that ward. Your committee ask for instructions in the matter. Referred to No. 1 Committee.

REPORT NUMBER TWO COMMITTEE.

By Ald. Taylor, chairman: 1. That the tender of Mulhall & Harding, to construct tile drain on Bathurst street for one-half the block west of Richmond street for $238, gully-holes, $18, being the lowest, be accepted. 2. That the city pay $312 to V. Cronyn, on behalf of the Anglican See House, being the cost of constructing a tile drain on St. James street. 3. Recommend payment as follows: Thos. Higgins, $100; Wm. Wyeth, $25, being in full of their claims. 4. That the Council appropriate $300 for the purpose of taking stone from the city gravel pit.

Taken up clause by clause. First, 2nd and 3rd passed, 4th, read and adopted.

REPORT OF NUMBER ONE COMMITTEE.

By Ald. Scarrow, chairman: 1. Your committee having examined the following accounts, and finding them correct, recommend the same for payment:

NUMBER TWO COMMITTEE ACCOUNTS.

Streets, etc.—	
Pay sheet	$ 129 49
Pay sheet	270 61
Wm. Anthistle	66 86
Wm. Anthistle	35 50
Jas. Wright & Co.	36 04
City Hall—	
D. Darvall & Co.	18 20
M. Baldwin	36 70
Flagstone pavements—	
A. Mainwaring	450 00
A. Mainwaring	137 00
Sewers—	
Summers & Co.	100 00
Summers & Co.	100 00
Summers & Co.	100 00
Summers & Co.	200 00
Benj. Johnson	25 00
Oxford Street Bridge—	
Isaac Crouse	1,463 88
Hamilton Bridge Company	3,450 00
Total	$6,619 38

NUMBER THREE COMMITTEE ACCOUNTS.

Fire Department—	
Pay sheet	$ 434 82
Hospital—	
John Purdom	20 00